SHEET 1 OF ATTY DOCKET NO. SERIAL NO. Form PTO 1449 (Modified) U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE 279148US0PCT 10/551.993 APPLICANT LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT Hiroshi TAMAGAKI, et al FILING DATE GROUP October 4, 2005 1792 U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS EXAMINER DOCUMENT SUB FILING DATE DATE NAME CLASS IF APPROPRIATE INITIAL NUMBER CLASS ΔΔ AB AC AD AC AF AC АН ΑI AJ AK AL AM AN FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS TRANSI ATION DOCUMENT COUNTRY DATE NUMBER YES NO 06/25/97 EPO AO 0 780 484 A1 XXX AP 696 21 063 T2 02/27/03 GERMANY (corresonds to EP 0 727 510 B1) EPO (correponds to DE 696 21 063 T2) AD 0 727 510 B1 08/21/96 xxx 08/20/02 JAPAN (English abstract provided) AR 2002-233848 AS AT

AU ΑV OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.) AW AX ΑZ Additional References sheet(s) attached 11/18/2009 /Joseph Miller, Jr/ Date Considered Examiner

*Examiner: Initial if reference is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in

conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.